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### Figure They Will be Hard Team to Beat With Boyd and Reize in Harness—McGill Here on Tuesday Night

Although Tigers were beaten at Kitchener last evening 3 to 1, one would have a hard time convincing the club officials who took in the game that the Bengals will not make a strong bid for the Allan Cup again this season. Minus Boyd and Reize, the yellow and black squad dashed up a wonderful brand of the great winter game and with an even break in the last three minutes have a different story to tell. They were played on the defense with Smith, did not extend himself at any time, but under instructions from the club physician to take things easy, but at the Flying Frenchmen, who played Smith also went well and with another week or two of practice this club is going to be a mighty hard nut to keep off the regular line-up.

Harry "Scotty" Reid also made his debut as a senior last evening, and made center for the team. Harry back-checked in old time form and gave a nice exhibition of stick handling on several occasions, but was a little off in his shooting.

Manager Mann in speaking of the game this morning seemed well pleased with the showing of every man who took part in the game. He said that the team is confident that Cooper will be in addition to the team this season and just as soon as Reize and Boyd get in harness he figures Tigers will be a hard team to keep off the line in the new year.

Tigers will practice to night and on Saturday and it is expected that Leo Reize will be out Saturday night. Leo has been out on skates several times during the past two weeks and appears to be in fine shape.

McGill will be here on Tuesday night next for an exhibition game.

After last night's game, which by the way was witnessed by one of the largest crowds that attended a game in Kitchener, the Tigers were disappointed, and speeches were very much in order.

Toronto, Dec. 18.—The Balmy Beach Club informed the O. H. A. secretary yesterday that at a meeting of the executive Tuesday it was decided not to operate a team in the O. H. A.

Carl Tremaine Will be Wilde's Next Opponent

Jimmy Should Win Next Bout With Ease—Fight Gossip

New York, Dec. 17.—Having seen Jimmy Wilde up against a testing proposition in his first fight with the Britisher, who is in charge of the little Britisher are not going to take any more chances especially with the prospects of being a big purse prize. The Britisher, who is in charge of the little Britisher are not going to take any more chances especially with the prospects of being a big purse prize.

Paris, Dec. 17.—"Sparrow" Robertson, of New York, representing the American promoter, is conferring here with D. Decont with a view to having the fight with the Frenchman, who is in charge of the little Britisher are not going to take any more chances especially with the prospects of being a big purse prize.

TRANSPORTS NARROW ESCAPE

BONUS TO COTTON WORKERS

## Knocking Down the Ten Pins

Last night at the Brunswick alley in the International Harvester League, the Knif and Bar lost two games to the Iron Horse and the Tool Room took two games from the Sales Department.

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## Sporting Comment

Tiger officials who journeyed to Kitchener last night to see the team in action were highly pleased with the showing they made and some figure that with Boyd on the line-up they would have beaten the flying Dutchmen quite handsly. William was in Toronto yesterday on business and did not arrive home in time to make connections.

"Mickey" Bosch paid a visit to Toronto to-day to talk over business matters with "Moose" Heffernan, of the professional club. Michael is willing to play in Toronto this season, but he says he will not sign a contract until the no-release clause is added and the salary is made suitable.

"Mickey" must play in Toronto this season, according to a report from the Queen City. There is a rule in the agreement between the F. C. H. A. and the N. H. L. which says that all amateur players east of Port William are on the reserve list of the N. H. L. and they have already reached Kitchener and McCarthy to St. Patrick's.

Fred Clarke, who played left field and managed the Pirates for many years, is said to be trying to buy the Pittsburgh club from Barney Dreyfus, whose price is more than \$1,000,000. Some say perhaps \$2,000,000. This is a big deal, and Fred Clarke will buy their way into major league clubs. They have much money and can obtain plenty of backing, no doubt.

Harvesters Meet Gurney-Tiden Monday Night

Important Game in City League on Monday Night

Each interest is being taken in the city league games to be staged at the Arena on Monday night, especially the first night which brings Harvesters and Gurney-Tiden together for it shows a battle royal and the winners will be on the top of the town. The Harvesters are strengthening for this game, and it is reported that the Gurney-Tiden team is also being approached to-day and if he comes to play, Harvesters will be at top strength for this game.

Beavers meet Sawyer Massey in the second game, and in the final game of the evening, St. Patrick's and Linckens are expected to meet.

President Moffat has called a meeting for an exhibition game to be played at the Central Y.M.C.A. All officers are requested to be present. The meeting is called for 8 o'clock sharp.

Manager Kearns has called a practice for the Harvesters tonight 6:30.

Tigers Beaten by Kitchener in Exhibition Game

Matte & Co. Play Well Minus Roach and McCarthy

Kitchener, Ont., Dec. 17.—The hockey season opened here this evening with an exhibition game between Hamilton Tigers and Kitchener, the latter winning 5 to 1. The game was played under unusual conditions, the temperature being five below zero, and the ice surface was better than at any other time last season.

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last winter also capped his career, but "Sherry" made a game fight to help the Reds win the pennant.

Magee is one of the few major league ball players who have never played in a minor circuit before coming into the big leagues.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 17.—August August Herdman, chairman of the National Baseball Commission, said he did not believe John B. Fower, former secretary of the New York Yankees, would be selected as his successor as chairman when he returned to-day from New York, where he has attended the National League meeting.

am ready to step out of the chairmanship whenever a successor is found and selected," Herdman said. "I don't think, however, that Fower will be chosen for the job. He is a good baseball man, but lacks sufficient backing."

O. H. A. Schedules

Oshawa, Dec. 17.—O. H. A. Intermediate Group No. 2 and O. H. A. Junior Group No. 3 convened here this afternoon at the Oshawa Hotel. The following representatives were present: Coburn, Burnett, Porter, Morrow, Bowmanville, Edgar, Whitty, January 21—Port Hope vs. Bowmanville.

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## Chats With the Doctor

### (By a Physician)

OSTEO-ARTHRITIS

This disease has various names, and is most commonly known, perhaps, under that of rheumatoid arthritis. It is a chronic form of a disease of the joints and of the spine, and occurs frequently in women than men, and is associated with a rule with poor and hard conditions of life. Late onset, traumatic influences, such as rheumatism, tuberculosis, and other sources of infection, as diphtheria, scarlet fever, etc., may be variously credited with the cause. Actually, it is known for certain as to its origin.

manifest itself more particularly in the neighborhood of specific joints, such as the knee, elbow, and wrist, and in the spine, as the cervical vertebrae, and the sacro-spondylar region, and in the fingers and joints of the hands.

In an acute form, the complaint may manifest itself by a swelling of the joints, which is usually attended by a very considerable amount of pain, and is usually accompanied by a fever, and a general malaise, and a loss of appetite, and a loss of weight, and a loss of strength, and a loss of vitality, and a loss of energy, and a loss of power, and a loss of endurance, and a loss of resistance, and a loss of immunity, and a loss of health, and a loss of life.

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# LET THAT BIRD PUT AN ENGAGEMENT RING ON MY FINGER JUST BEFORE XMAS! THINK OF ALL THE OTHER MEN'S PRESENTS I'D LOSE!



If Clara had accepted the very eligible Mr. Brown it would have solved the High Cost of Living Problem for the rest of the Family.

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## CONFESSIO WAR BRIDE

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THREE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SIXTH CHAPTER.

JANE FINDS HERSELF IN THE CAMP OF THE BANDITS.

Voices brought me back to life—men's voices speaking a dialect I did not understand. I crouched deep in the pit of my yard. My hasty movement made it sway gently, but it seemed to be as secure as the top of the cockpit. I kept my head well below the top of the cockpit. I might far better be eaten by wild animals than fall into the hands of Mexican half-breeds loose on a hunting trip!

The chorus of voices grew louder and I knew that the crowd was increasing. Suddenly, above the excited rise and fall of their talk, a rippling laugh came to my ears—familiar and detestable!

I looked over the edge of the car.

"Miss Miller!" I said in French with a grand unchance which I was far from feeling. "I've brought it!"

Of course she couldn't hear me the first time I spoke, for the uproar of the crowd, at sight of me, drowned my words. Miss Miller, by merely raising her hand—silenced the assembly! I repeated my announcement.

"You're a dear!" she called up to me, in French. "But please leave it to them. We'll send for it when we need it. Will you come down?"

"I don't know how to get down," I replied. "Neither do you know whether I want to get down. I'll have to take your advice. Will I be safer here or there?"

"You can bet on me to take care of you, my dear Jane," replied my rival. "I mean of this camp. I'll promise to protect you."

"I do not care to be a bandit queen myself," I replied. "But I seem to be in for a taste of the life. Help me down, somebody. I'm not a circus performer, you know. I'm a more expert climber than any steep-jack I ever heard about. He came up at the Koughing Miller's order and tested the sustaining strength of the boughs which supported my airplane. Then he made a nice little rope harness, and in a few minutes he was at the top of the rope over the limb of a tree, and the men lowered us to earth.

Miss Miller welcomed me with a kiss and put her arms about me. I felt that I had made a mistake. I was far more comfortable in the air than on the ground.

"How did you manage to find the camp?" she whispered.

"I did not," I replied. "I was only trailing Bob—who is trailing you. My engine went wrong."

"A rescue party is on its way," she said in my ear. "Do not speak of it now." Then aloud, she added, "Don Manuel is away. He is escorting his wife to the railroad station, and he will bring back a distinguished guest. Do not be afraid. He rules the camp!"

"Then I will be safe," I murmured.

"Woe is the camp!" I inquired.

It proved to be close at hand. It was in a cave of several rooms, with an entrance concealed by growing vines. Katherine Miller had a room to herself—never could Bob and Morrison "gas the gang" as they had planned. I was relieved. If they did, I would be gassed myself—and that was not a pleasant prospect.

(To be continued.)

## GOTTON MILLS BOOM.

Much Buying and Selling in Lancashire.

(A. P. Special Cable.)

London, Dec. 17.—A lively agitation in the Lancashire cotton industry has been going on for the past three months, according to reports received here. The American Chamber of Commerce, of London, as syndicates have been buying up cotton mills at high prices, and floating new companies, whose shares have been

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 17.—Practically all the cotton mills in the Cleveland district have been sold to the American Chamber of Commerce, of London, as syndicates have been buying up cotton mills at high prices, and floating new companies, whose shares have been

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—Miss Miller, who is the heroine of the "Confessio War Bride" series, is expected to arrive in Hamilton tomorrow.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

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## CAN GETS OPERATIONS NOT NECESSARY

Her Share of Proceeds From Overseas Ganteens.

Is Expected to Go Back to Soldiers.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—Canada has received \$100,000 as her share of the proceeds of the operation of canteens overseas by the army and navy. The money is to be used for the benefit of the soldiers and sailors, and is to be distributed in the form of food, clothing, and other necessities. The money is to be distributed in the form of food, clothing, and other necessities. The money is to be distributed in the form of food, clothing, and other necessities.

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**FARMERS OF ONTARIO CONVENTION**  
Business Sessions During Day Heard of Great Progress.  
**GOOD ADVICE**  
By Leaders, as to the Future Course of the U. F. O.

Toronto, Dec. 18.—William Massey was filled with enthusiastic delight from all parts of the Province at the annual convention of the Ontario Farmers of Ontario opened yesterday in the city. The morning session was held with routine business, and the afternoon session was devoted to the discussion of the future of the U. F. O. The convention was held at the Hotel Hamilton, and was attended by a large number of farmers from all parts of the Province. The morning session was held with routine business, and the afternoon session was devoted to the discussion of the future of the U. F. O. The convention was held at the Hotel Hamilton, and was attended by a large number of farmers from all parts of the Province.

the tendency to commercialize the organization, and the "intoxicating effect" that might come from the political success of the U. F. O. It is our duty to see to it that we build up a united citizenship, for the liberty, liberty of conscience, and the right of religious, and let us remember that we are not alone in this. We have the support of those who have not been so fortunate as we have been, who have not this heritage. We have the support of those who have not this heritage. We have the support of those who have not this heritage. We have the support of those who have not this heritage.

It once thought," said the President in conclusion, "that the man who had the public treasury was the greatest enemy the nation had, but, to my mind, there is one still more, and that is the one who preaches to the people that the U. F. O. is the only way to the future. Such agencies should be crushed, and crushed so mercilessly that the U. F. O. should be the only agency left. Such agencies should be crushed, and crushed so mercilessly that the U. F. O. should be the only agency left. Such agencies should be crushed, and crushed so mercilessly that the U. F. O. should be the only agency left.

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# The Christmas Times

Will Be Published Saturday, Dec. 20

A bright, up-to-date newspaper. All the news of the day. Some of the latest illustrations, with stories that will appeal to young and old.

Copies for mailing from the business office of the Times or by phone Regent 368, or any of the book stores or agents.

## Christmas Buying

The Same Old Worry

It is much better to see a usual present, such as shoes or slippers—especially as shoes next Spring will cost from \$2.00 to \$3.00 more than at present. Shoes which we placed on order last June at \$6.00, are now costing us \$9.00.

**High Shoes For Women and Men**  
Both in and outside of Hamilton, Clime shoes have an excellent reputation—and just at present our stock is in grand shape for a big Christmas "give and let give" price—very, very, warm slippers.

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## KANSAS CORN CROP

Story of Forty Years Ago Being Retold.  
The gift of writing newspaper "yarns" used to be considered something to be proud of and many a good one was written about the early days of the western state. A phenomenal crop of corn forty years ago resulted in the following episode which is being sent all over the United States and Canada.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 15.—A report from Lee's Summit, Mo., tells of a frightful occurrence in the corn belt area of that place. The story is told by a Lee's Summit paper, and illustrates the terrible dangers that menace Kansas by reason of the tremendous corn crop. The hero of this tale is a Willie M. C. Keighan, a small boy, who climbed a cornstalk to see how his father's crop was getting on. The stalk grew so fast that the father's boy, who was the highest of the crop, was carried off the stalk, and Willie was left of sight, and still ascending.

## Waste Effort.

At a fire recently a brave fireman came gasping and panting from the burning building with his eyebrows shaved in the flames. Under one arm he carried a small but heavy box, which he deposited in a place of safety with the fire of a man who had saved a box of government bonds from destruction. On opening the box it was found to contain six bottles of a new patent fire extinguisher.—Argonaut.

**OH BOY! YOU SAVED MY LIFE MONEY! RAILROAD TICKET! EVERYTHING! I'M GOING TO BUY YOU A WATCH FOR CHRISTMAS!**

**I'M AWFUL SORRY AUNT ANGEL-LIKE CATS BUT THESE WERE ALL NELLIE HAD**

**MERCY ON ME! (NELLIE! SHE ISN'T GOING TO LIKE 'EM)**

**MEAG WED BETTER GO!**

**WHAT IS DARLING?**

**PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.**  
Since our last annual meeting a great many changes have taken place. Our organization has grown in number and also in importance. It is now the largest and most important of its kind in the Province. It is now the largest and most important of its kind in the Province. It is now the largest and most important of its kind in the Province.

**WHERE IN BLAZES DID PUT THAT POCKET BOOK?**  
HEAVEN HELP ME! I'VE LOST IT! THOSE TICKETS FOR TONIGHT! MY RAILROAD TICKETS! WEEKS PAY, AND CHRISTMAS COMING! HORRORS!

**SO THERE'S THAT POCKET BOOK! COME OUT OF THERE WHILE I BREAK EVERY BONE IN YOUR BODY!**

**OH! AUNT ANGEL-LIKE NELLIE AND I HAVE A WONDERFUL SURPRISE FOR YOU!**

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**Private Nurses Must Pay  
\$1 a Day Board.**

**Officers Elected for the  
Coming Year.**

Preparations for the work of the coming year and the election of new officers formed the program of the general meeting of the South Togo Bazaar Association, held in the Charles street club rooms last evening. The affair was attended by a good representation of the members, and considerable interest was shown in the various questions dealt with. Reports of the work of the committee were read, and showed that much progress has been made since the inauguration of the club, while several suggestions were offered for the improvement of existing conditions, and will be dealt with by the new council.

Conrad Chester S. Walters, treasurer, presented the meeting, and in a short address explained the course to be followed in order

### Explanation of Suit That Has Been Begun.

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ies and back belt effects, also plain  
survival coat effects, in black or  
dark mixtures. These garments  
worthy regularly \$23 to \$60, sale  
to \$10.

EDDY'S 43½-HOUR WEEK.  
(Canadian Press Wire)  
Ottawa, Dec. 8.—The E. Eddy Co., Ottawa, has instituted a 43½-hour week in the match factory. The move has been increased in proportion to the reduction of the hours.

Faculty of Applied Science  
Honors at least 50 per cent. in 1  
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least 50 per cent. in honor En  
(c) Pass standing at least 40 per  
cent. in one of the following honor

"Where is the biggest dam in the world?" asked Willie. "I do not know where it is now, my son," replied Maw. "But it was in our cellar last night when your paw dropped the only quart of whiskey he had and broke it."

—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Since time is not a person we can overtake when he is past, let us honor him with mirth and cheerfulness as long while he is passing.—Goethe.

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